

# Supreme Court Justices, Appellate Court Judges, and Circuit Court Judges Assuming Office On or After July 30, 1979

## Service Retirement Requirements

A Supreme Court Justice, Civil or Criminal Appellate Court Judge, or Circuit Court Judge (Justice or Judge) who assumed office **on or after July 30, 1979**, may retire on service if he or she satisfies any of the following service and age criteria. Service shall include previous service as a District Judge, Probate Judge, and/or ERS or TRS transfer service.

Judicial Service Plus Transfer Service (Years)	Attained An Age Not Less Than
10	70
12	65
15	62
16	61
17	60
24	Any Age
25 or more	Any Age

*\* Provided the Justice or Judge purchases up to one additional year to obtain a total of 25 years creditable service. The cost is equal to the annual contribution of the Justice or Judge and the state at the time of purchase **multiplied** by the year or fraction thereof of service credit needed to obtain 25 years service credit.*